

PATENT APPLICATION

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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Application No.: 10/689,219

Examiner: AZPURU, Carlos A.

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For: **BONE REPLACEMENT MATERIAL COMPRISING CRYSTALLINE AND X-  
RAY AMORPHOUS PHASES**

**AMENDMENT B**

**Mail Stop AF**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

These amendments and remarks are being filed in response to the final Office Action mailed November 23, 2007. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$810 large entity fee for a Request for Continued Examination to Deposit Account No. 50-0951. Although no additional fees are believed due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any surplus to Deposit Account No. 50-0951. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 6 of this paper.